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Re: Application of Yusuke KURIHARA, Akihiro ITO, Kazushige MUKAIHARA,  
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SEMICONDUCTOR LASER MODULE  
Assignee: NEC COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES, LTD.  
Our Ref. Q78067



Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 9 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 3 sheets of drawings, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references.

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